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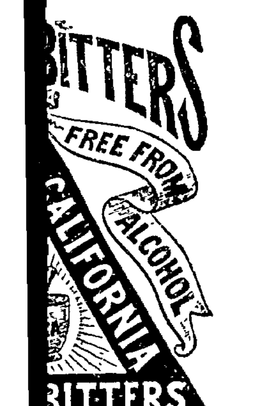

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FOR SALE!

BUSINESS PROPERTY.

A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

RESIDENCE LOTS.

LOT 10, block 1, North addition cor. Union and Edmond sts; size, 76x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

ON the corner of William and College sts; size, 95x140 feet. A very desirable and convenient location offered at a great sacrifice. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 4—fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

NOS. 8 AND 9, P. B. Shepherd's 2nd addition, fronting on William st., between Monroe and Pine sts.; lot 8, 63 feet front, lot 9, 40 feet front, depth, 150 feet. Price, together, $650; can be had on long time, with a reasonable payment down. Also,

LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 55x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $150, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

DWELLING PROPERTY,

OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 135 feet on both streets; 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

FOR SALE—A house and lot in Rolling Mill addition. Brick house, 4 rooms, pantry, cellar; yard set out with fruit trees and small fruit. For terms apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

A house and two lots for sale in Stephel's Addition, for $800 cash. Apply to WARRAN & DURFEE.

FOR SALE—A house and lot in Carver's addition, at $570. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

FOR RENT—A house of 7 rooms within one block of the business part of the city at $25 per month. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x153 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $600, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair: lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 8, block, 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 155 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Farm Property.

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200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE, about 4 miles southwest of Dalton Station, on the Mattoon & Decatur Railroad, all under cultivation; about 300 fruit trees in bearing; 2 miles of hedge, 4 years old; a one story frame house; good barn, wells, &c. $40 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

178 ACRES OF FARM LAND for sale about 1½ miles south-west of Macon, two houses, with necessary outbuildings on said farm. All under cultivation will sell at a bargain. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—80 acres, about 3½ miles southwest of Decatur, on the Taylorville road; a story and a half frame house of 7 rooms, good cellar, well and necessary out buildings. All under good cultivation except 15 acres of timber. Will trade for property in Decatur suitable for a boarding house; a house near the depot preferred. For terms, &c., enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts

800 ACRES ... Wait Co; mostly prairie. Price, $25 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 26, 1872—d-tf.

FOR SALE

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ON EASY TERMS,

30 Building Lots

In Durfee, Warren & Co's Addition.

Between Water Street and Broadway, North of Wait & Co's Addition to Decatur.

December 19, 1872-dawtf.

AS GOOD AS NEW.

A Cleveland Damsel's Broken Heart Soldered With $5,000.

Saturday forenoon a breach of promise was tried before Judge Prentiss and a jury, in which the value of a broken vow was estimated at $5,000. The plaintiff, Miss Mary Ann Phillips, is a young woman of comely appearance, not so far on in spinsterhood but her chances would still be considered good. She may be twenty-five. Her petition alleges that she and her false lover, one Henry W. Bell, an employe in the Globe iron works, had become enamored of each other, and that on or about the 16th of November, they plighted their troth, and agreed to become one flesh. After they had been engaged some time Bell's ardor began to cool, and he became chary of his caresses. The quick ear of the girl was not slow in perceiving this, and she began to suspect her swain would not prove "true blue." It occurred to her that it would be a good idea to measure his affection with the criterion of money. On the 10th of February, 1872, Mary Ann thought it about time to be joined to the expected partner of her joys and sorrows, and asked that the time be fixed. On divers other times, subsequent to this, she reiterated the request and thinking a reasonable time had elapsed without the fulfillment of the vows, she agreed to accept the sum of $10,000 for the solacement of her wounded heart. She affirmed that she was ready and "willin'" to have the knot tied at any time, and that defendant was aware of the fact. Miss Phillips appeared in court with her mother and testified. Her attorney made a fervant plea to the jury, dilating on the poignant grief of Mary Ann and the perfidy of her lover. The jury thought that $5,000 would do as a soother, and gave her that sum.—*Cleveland Leader.*

DEATH OF THE KING OF THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Kamehameha V., King of the Sandwich Islands, died at Honolulu, December 11. He was the last of the royal line, as he named no one to succeed him, the choice of a ruler will devolve upon the Legislative Assembly, which met on the 8th inst The Hawaiian *Gazette* advocates a movement of the people for a free government, and a revolution is expected. King Kamehameha was only forty-five years of age. He had manifested, throughout his reign, a desire to promote reform and increase the commerce and industries of his kingdom, but was generally known as a man of easy temper and a lover of the bottle.

The royal family of Kamehameha dates from the middle of the eighteenth century, when its first representative took his place on the throne of the Sandwich Islands. He was one of the several chiefs who had, previous to that time, ruled over the islands of the group, independent of each other, and succeeded in conquering all of the islands except Atauai and Nihau, which, however, gave their allegiance to him afterwards. He then placed his kingdom under the protection of Great Britain. Kamehameha II.—his son, who succeeded him in 1819—abolished idolatry, and introduced Christianity. He was succeeded by his brother in 1824, who banished the Roman Catholic missionaries thereby getting into difficulties with France, but he was supported by the English troops. In 1844 the independence of the country was officially recognized by Great Britain and the United States. A constitutional form of government was introduced in 1851. Kamehameha IV. ascended the throne in 1854; married Emma Rooker, the daughter of an English physician, in 1856, and died in 1863, when the late king succeeded him.

ACCIDENT ON THE T. P. & W.—Yesterday morning at about 7 o'clock, as the western express on the T., P. & W. railway neared Seville, the engine broke a rail, and the baggage and express car was precipitated over a low embankment. The United States express company messenger, named Owen Evans, was standing at the door of the car at the time of the accident, and was completely covered when it tipped over. It was at first thought he was killed, and word was sent back to this city to that effect, but after lying covered with debris for two hours and a half, he was finally rescued, and found to be not only alive but destitute of serious hurt, although of course terribly bruised. He was at once removed to Canton, where he resides, and from what we can learn, may soon be expected to resume his duties No other person on board the train was in the least injured.—*Peoria Transcript.*

The open-handed charity of the American people, and their promptitude in relieving distress, and extending a helping hand whenever and wherever needed, is proverbial. As an evidence of the fact, English papers state that they would not be surprised if the Alabama damages, with a little something extra, should come back to England as a free gift from America to relieve the distress in the agricultural districts of the mother country.

The city of Louisville will distribute 20,000 tons of coal among the poor this winter.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Open at 7½ A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 5:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:30 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:55 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:
Passenger Trains.
GOING SOUTH.
2:10 A. M. .... 5:40 P. M.
GOING NORTH.
5:17 A. M. .... 2:21 P. M.
Freight Trains.
GOING NORTH.
3:32 A. M. ....
11.30 A. M. .... 2:30 P. M.
GOING SOUTH.
9:30 A. M. .... 3:33 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

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W. P. JOHNSON, Gen. pass. agt. }
E. M. MISNER, agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.
Leave Toledo .... 11 40 p. m
" Decatur .... 2 30 p. m
Arrive Quincy .... 9 25 p. m
" Keokuk .... 10 15 p. m
" St. Louis .... 7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.
Leave Toledo .... 10 45 a. m
" Decatur .... 2 10 a. m
Arrive Quincy .... 9 30 a. m
" Keokuk .... 11 00 a. m
" St. Louis .... 7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.
No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:15 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.
Leave St. Louis .... 7 25 a. m
" Keokuk .... 4 35 a. m
" Quincy .... 5 15 a. m
" Decatur .... 12 10 p. m
Arrive Toledo .... 2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.
Leave St. Louis .... 8 30 p. m
" Keokuk .... 6 27 p. m
" Quincy .... 7 10 p. m
" Decatur .... 2 20 a. m
Arrive Toledo .... 5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.
No. 11—Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 8 40 a. m
" " Accom " .... 3 45 p. m

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None but the best workmen employed and no poor leather used.

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James M. Irwin,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW No. 18 Merchant st., Decatur, Ill.
Aug. 31, 1872—tf.

D. L. BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
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C. C. McComas,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Watter streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

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EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec13,'72-tf.

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April 13, 1872-dwtf.

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Decatur, April 8, 1872—d-tf.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Executor of the Estate of Jacob Erisman, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

THOMAS ACOM, Executor.
November 21, 1872-w,6w.

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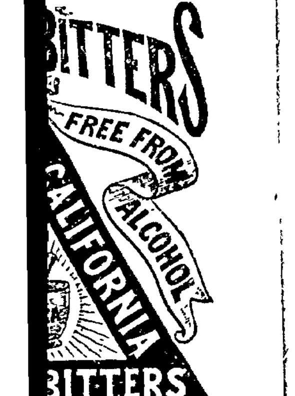

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April 1, 1872-d-tf.

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A THREE STORY BRICK on the Old Square. A first-rate property, that can be bought low if applied for soon. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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LOT 10, block 1, North addition cor. Union and Edmund sts; size, 76x176 feet. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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IN Durfee & King's addition—lot 7, block 4—fronting on Church st. A good lot, at a reasonable price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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LOTS 16 and 17, block 1, Thompson's 1st addition, fronting on Monroe st., just west of the Mound; size, 55x123 feet, each. Will be sold together at $150, or $250 for either lot. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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OFFERED VERY LOW, if sold soon; situated on the corner of College and South Macon sts., comprising two lots, fronting 135 feet on both streets; 1½ story dwelling, five rooms, summer kitchen, well, cistern and cellar, and a good-sized stable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

FOR SALE—A house and lot in Rolling Mill addition. Brick house, 4 rooms, pantry, cellar; yard set out with fruit trees and small fruit. For terms apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

A house and two lots for sale in Stephet's Addition, for $800 cash. Apply to WARRAN & DURFEE.

FOR SALE—A house and lot in Carver's addition, at $570. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

FOR RENT—A house of 7 rooms within one block of the business part of the city at $25 per month. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 4 and 5, block 9, Smith & Co.'s addition, on Condit street, between Morgan and Broadway; size 80x152 feet; one story frame house, 3 rooms and cellar. Improvements nearly new. Can be had for $1,000. WARREN & DURFEE.

LOTS 17 and 18, block 12, Carver's addition, comprising 80x153 feet; situated on North Macon st., east of Clayton st.; a new frame house of 2 rooms; lots fenced. Can be had for $600, part on time. WARREN & DURFEE.

FIVE HOUSES, in Peddecord & Burrows' addition, convenient to depot, Agricultural Works and Rolling Mill, all well constructed and in good repair. Will be sold low for cash, or on time, to suit purchasers. WARREN & DURFEE.

ALSO, a large two story building suitable for a boarding house, situated in block 4, Peddecord & Burrows' addition. For sale by WARREN & DURFEE.

A COMFORTABLE story and a half house, 7 rooms, good cellar, well, cistern and new stable—all in good repair: lot 50x160 ft., fronting on William st.; very convenient to the business part of town. Will be sold very reasonable. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on West Wood st., lot 8, block, 1, in Southwestern addition; 70 feet front, depth 155 feet; 1 story house with basement, 7 rooms; well, cistern and stable. Offered at a very low price. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

SITUATED on the corner of Prairie and College sts., comprising 100 feet front on both streets; frame dwelling, 7 rooms; cellar, well and cistern; variety of fruit on premises. A good property in a very desirable location. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

Farm Property.

1121.

200 ACRE FARM FOR SALE, about 4 miles southwest of Dalton Station, on the Mattoon & Decatur Railroad, all under cultivation; about 300 fruit trees in bearing; 2 miles of hedge, 4 years old; a one story frame house; good barn, wells, &c. $40 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

178 ACRES OF FARM LAND for sale about 1½ miles south-west of Macon, two houses, with necessary outbuildings on said farm. All under cultivation will sell at a bargain. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Agents.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—80 acres, about 3½ miles southwest of Decatur, on the Taylorville road; a story and a half frame house of 7 rooms, good cellar, well and necessary out buildings. All under good cultivation ex... acres of timber. Will trade for property in Decatur suitable for a boarding house; a house near the depot preferred. For terms, &c., enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

800 ACRES ... Wait Co; mostly prairie. Price, $25 per acre. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE, Ag'ts.

April 26, 1872—d-tf.

FOR SALE

—BY—

Warren & Durfee!

ON EASY TERMS,

30 Building Lots

In Durfee, Warren & Co's Addition.

Between Water Street and Broadway, North of Wait & Co's Addition to Decatur.

December 19, 1872-dawtf.

AS GOOD AS NEW.

A Cleveland Damsel's Broken Heart Soldered With $5,000.

Saturday forenoon a breach of promise was tried before Judge Prentiss and a jury, in which the value of a broken vow was estimated at $5,000. The plaintiff, Miss Mary Ann Phillips, is a young woman of comely appearance, not so far on in spinsterhood but her chances would still be considered good. She may be twenty-five. Her petition alleges that she and her false lover, one Henry W. Bell, an employe in the Globe iron works, had become enamored of each other, and that on or about the 16th of November, they plighted their troth, and agreed to become one flesh. After they had been engaged some time Bell's ardor began to cool, and he became chary of his caresses. The quick ear of the girl was not slow in perceiving this, and she began to suspect her swain would not prove "true blue." It occurred to her that it would be a good idea to measure his affection with the criterion of money. On the 10th of February, 1872, Mary Ann thought it about time to be joined to the expected partner of her joys and sorrows, and asked that the time be fixed. On divers other times, subsequent to this, she reiterated the request and thinking a reasonable time had elapsed without the fulfillment of the vows, she agreed to accept the sum of $10,000 for the solacement of her wounded heart. She affirmed that she was ready and "willin'" to have the knot tied at any time, and that defendant was aware of the fact. Miss Phillips appeared in court with her mother and testified. Her attorney made a fervant plea to the jury, dilating on the poignant grief of Mary Ann and the perfidy of her lover. The jury thought that $5,000 would do as a soother, and gave her that sum.—*Cleveland Leader.*

DEATH OF THE KING OF THE SANDWICH ISLANDS.

Kamehameha V., King of the Sandwich Islands, died at Honolulu, December 11. He was the last of the royal line, as he named no one to succeed him, the choice of a ruler will devolve upon the Legislative Assembly, which met on the 8th inst The Hawaiian *Gazette* advocates a movement of the people for a free government, and a revolution is expected. King Kamehameha was only forty-five years of age. He had manifested, throughout his reign, a desire to promote reform and increase the commerce and industries of his kingdom, but was generally known as a man of easy temper and a lover of the bottle.

The royal family of Kamehameha dates from the middle of the eighteenth century, when its first representative took his place on the throne of the Sandwich Islands. He was one of the several chiefs who had, previous to that time, ruled over the islands of the group, independent of each other, and succeeded in conquering all of the islands except Atauai and Nihau, which, however, gave their allegiance to him afterwards. He then placed his kingdom under the protection of Great Britain. Kamehameha II.—his son, who succeeded him in 1819—abolished idolatry, and introduced Christianity. He was succeeded by his brother in 1824, who banished the Roman Catholic missionaries thereby getting into difficulties with France, but he was supported by the English troops. In 1844 the independence of the country was officially recognized by Great Britain and the United States. A constitutional form of government was introduced in 1851. Kamehameha IV. ascended the throne in 1854; married Emma Rooker, the daughter of an English physician, in 1856, and died in 1863, when the late king succeeded him.

ACCIDENT ON THE T. P. & W.—Yesterday morning at about 7 o'clock, as the western express on the T., P. & W. railway neared Seville, the engine broke a rail, and the baggage and express car was precipitated over a low embankment. The United States express company messenger, named Owen Evans, was standing at the door of the car at the time of the accident, and was completely covered when it tipped over. It was at first thought he was killed, and word was sent back to this city to that effect, but after lying covered with debris for two hours and a half, he was finally rescued, and found to be not only alive but destitute of serious hurt, although of course terribly bruised. He was at once removed to Canton, where he resides, and from what we can learn, may soon be expected to resume his duties No other person on board the train was in the least injured.—*Peoria Transcript.*

THE open-handed charity of the American people, and their promptitude in relieving distress, and extending a helping hand whenever and wherever needed, is proverbial. As an evidence of the fact, English papers state that they would not be surprised if the Alabama damages, with a little something extra, should come back to England as a free gift from America to relieve the distress in the agricultural districts of the mother country.

The city of Louisville will distribute 20,000 tons of coal among the poor this winter.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Open at 7½ A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M.
Open on Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Northern Mail arrives at 5:00 P. M.
" " closes at 1:35 P. M.
Southern " arrives at 5:30 A. M.
" " closes at 4:30 P. M.
Eastern " arrives at 2:35 P. M.
" " closes at 10:30 A. M.
Western " arrives at 11:40 P. M.
" " closes at 1:55 P. M.
Through Eastern mail closes at 8:00 P. M.
Daily through Chicago mail closes at 4:00 P. M.

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Pass Decatur:

Passenger Trains.

GOING SOUTH.

2:10 A. M. .... 5:10 P. M.

GOING NORTH.

5:17 A. M. .... 2:21 P. M.

Freight Trains.

GOING NORTH.

3:32 A. M. ....
11.30 A. M. .... 2:30 P. M.

GOING SOUTH.

9:30 A. M. .... 3:33 P. M.

Close connection made at Vandalia for St. Louis, and at Mendota for Chicago.

A. MITCHELL Gen. Sup't. } Chicago
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen. pass. agt. }
E. M. MISNER, agent, Decatur.

T., W. & W. Railway.

TRAINS LEAVE AND ARRIVE ON AND after Sunday, June 30, 1872, until further notice, as follows:

WESTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave Toledo .... 11 40 p. m
" Decatur .... 2 30 p. m
Arrive Quincy .... 9 25 p. m
" Keokuk .... 10 15 p. m
" St. Louis .... 7 15 p. m

EXPRESS.

Leave Toledo .... 10 45 a. m
" Decatur .... 2 10 a. m
Arrive Quincy .... 9 30 a. m
" Keokuk .... 11 00 a. m
" St. Louis .... 7 50 a. m

FREIGHT.

No. 9—Leaves Decatur .... 6:15 a. m

EASTWARD.

MAIL.

Leave St. Louis .... 7 25 a. m
" Keokuk .... 4 35 a. m
" Quincy .... 5 15 a. m
" Decatur .... 12 10 p. m
Arrive Toledo .... 2 10 a. m

EXPRESS.

Leave St. Louis .... 8 30 p. m
" Keokuk .... 6 27 p. m
" Quincy .... 7 10 p. m
" Decatur .... 2 20 a. m
Arrive Toledo .... 5 10 p. m

FREIGHT.

No. 11—Leaves Decatur .... 8:00 p. m

Pekin, Lincoln and Decatur Division.

Leave Decatur, Mail, West .... 2 50 p. m
" " Accom " .... 6 00 a. m
Leave Pekin, Mail, East .... 8 40 a. m
" " Accom " .... 3 45 p. m

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None but the best workmen employed and no poor leather used.

If you want anything in my line, from a common, coarse plow shoe to a fashionable boot, give me call.

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March 21, '70-ly

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Posters,

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March 17, 1870-y1

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October 28 1872—d-tf.

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E. R. ELDRIDGE,

ATTORNEY at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Dr. Stoner's drug store, No. 11 south side New square. [a23-dly

James M. Irwin,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW No. 18 Merchant st., Decatur, Ill. Aug. 31, 1872—tf.

D. L. BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,

HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over ... store

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public. Office in Room No. 2 north west corner of East Main and Water streets Decatur, Ill. April 10, 1872-dwtf.

E. PARK. THOS LEE

PARK & LEE,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec13,'72-tf.

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.

OFFICE—Over W. W. Lapham's store Water street, Decatur, Ill. [feb 8 '72

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildbrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

JOHN W. SMITH. BRICE I. STERRETT.

SMITH & STERRETT,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW.—Office No. 22 North Water street, Decatur, Ill. Aug. 11, 1870-ly

DR. R. C. DAWKINS,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. [jl1-daw,tf

W. C. JOHNS,

Attorney at Law.

OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr.1-dtf.

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Of the Very Best Manufacture.

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Of all Grades.

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Of all styles and prices.

IN SHORT,

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Ever seen in Central Illinois.

Decatur, April 8, 1872—d-tf.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Executor of the Estate of Jacob Erisman, deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of January, A. D. 1873, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

THOMAS ACOM, Executor.

November 21, 1872-w,6w.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Friday Evening, Jan. 10.

DEATH OF NAPOLEON.

In our telegraphic columns will be found the announcement of the death of the ex-emperor of the French, which took place at Chiselhurst, England, yesterday. This event was not unexpected, as few men at his age, 65, could have withstood the painful surgical operation performed upon him a few days ago.

Charles Louis Napoleon Bonaparte, or Napoleon III, was the youngest son of Louis Bonaparte, king of Holland, and Hortense Eugenie Beauharnais, daughter of the empress Josephine. He was born in Paris, April 20, 1808, and as his father and mother soon afterwards separated he was educated by the latter, who continued to reside in Paris. After the final overthrow of the first Napoleon at Waterloo, Hortense and her son retired to Augsburg, and afterwards resided alternately at Rome and in Switzerland. He received a liberal education, and imbibed from his principal tutor, M. Lebas, that mixture of republicanism and imperialism which was never afterwards entirely separated in his mind.

The death of the duke of Reichstadt, son of the first Napoleon, in 1832, left young Louis the successor of his uncle, according to the Napoleonic edicts of 1804 and 1805. He then began his intrigues for the throne, which culminated in his issuing a proclamation at Strasbourg, in 1836, and endeavoring to inaugurate a revolution, which resulted in a miserable failure. For this he was banished, and coming to the United States he led an idle and dissolute life for a time, after which he went to South America, but returned to Europe shortly afterwards. The death of his mother occurring at this time he withdrew from Switzerland to England, where he occupied his time in organizing another revolutionary expedition against France. He sailed from Margate, in August, 1840, with about 50 followers, and landing at Bologne demanded the surrender of the garrison, but was repulsed, and in endeavoring to make his escape was captured. His trial for treason took place before the house of peers, and though he was defended by the eloquent Berryer he was convicted and sentenced to perpetual imprisonment in a French fortress.—The six years following he spent within the walls of his prison, occupying his time in literary pursuits, and preparing for the press a number of works on political subjects. He finally managed to escape to England, in the dress of a laborer.

When the revolution of 1848 broke out, Louis Napoleon saw that his opportunity had come, and returning to Paris he was chosen a deputy in the national assembly. His admission to the assembly was violently opposed by Lamartine and other republicans, but by professing fidelity to the republic and taking the oath of allegiance thereto he was permitted to take his seat. On the 10th of December of that year, he was chosen president of the republic. His administration was nominally republican, but the light of subsequent events show that even during that time his efforts were steadily directed towards imperialism, for we read that in 1851 he arbitrarily dissolved the national assembly, arrested 180 of of its members, and issued a decree ordering the election of a president for ten years upon the basis of universal suffrage. He was again elected, and straightway began new intrigues looking towards the re-establishment of the empire. On the 21st and 22d of November, 1852, in pursuance of an executive decree, the people voted upon a *plebiscitum*, reviving the imperial dignity in the person of Louis Napoleon. The election resulted favorably, and he was forthwith declared emperor under the title of Napoleon III. A few months afterward, in January, 1853, he married Eugenie, Countess de Teba, a Spanish lady of rare beauty and accomplishments. One son was born to them, March 16, 1856, who still survives.

The reign of Napoleon, as Emperor, was a despotic one, but his great aim was to revive the glory of France and found his dynasty upon an enduring basis. To do this he amused the people by pageants of splendor, while he crushed out all freedom of thought and expression. He made Paris the most magnificent capital in the world, hoping to gain the affection of his subjects through their well known love of display. But while he added to the beauty of the city by straightening the streets, he had an eye open to the fact that he was at the same time rendering next to impossible the erection of those bulwarks of defense, the barricades, which had made the periodical outbreaks of the Parisian mob so formidable to the constituted authorities. The splendor of his reign, and the crafty subtlety with which he essayed to fortify his dynasty, could not well have resulted otherwise than they did—in making his downfall, when it came, more terrible and complete than that of any potentate in modern times. The hollowness of the empire, and the utter imbecility of the government under trials whose advent Napoleon had himself hastened for the purpose of adding to his own glory, showed the impracticable character of his theories of government. His army melted away before the steady advance of the less showy but more thoroughly disciplined hosts of united Germany, and his high-sounding proclamations and despatches "from the front," only added to the deep disgrace of the *denouement*, which came even sooner that his most bitter enemy could have hoped for.

His capture after the rout of Sedan, his imprisonment at Wilhelmshohe, his release and subsequent appearance in England, are all too fresh in the minds of the reading public to need recapitulation now. What would have been the result of a prolongation of his life can, of course, only be conjectured, but it can hardly be doubted that he was contemplating a fresh *coup d'etat*, which, he hoped, would again place him upon the throne of France. His death, therefore, has in all probability removed one source of danger from that unhappy country, and though it seems harsh to speak thus of the dead, yet it would be difficult for the philanthropist to find in what particular this man of destiny has benefitted his race, or what promise of good he gave for the future. His name will occupy a prominent place in history, but it will be the prominence which comes from ambition selfishly directed, and not because of any disinterested act of his looking alone to the good of the public, for such an act he never performed.

GOV. PALMER'S MESSAGE.

The last message of Gov. Palmer to the legislature would fill more than a page of the REPUBLICAN, and we must therefore be content with a brief review of the document. Like all of Gov. Palmer's State papers it is a well-written document, and the questions discussed are treated in that exhaustive manner which is so characteristic of his excellency.

The governor congratulates the legislature upon the general prosperity of the State, and compliments the people for their observance of the laws, and their willingness to bear the burdens of taxation made necessary for the maintenance of the charitable and educational institutions of the State. He refers to the desire for a change in the criminal laws, but cannot see how any good could be obtained through the abolition of the grand jury system, or the other changes proposed. He advocates the appointment, in the large cities and populous counties, of a "defending attorney," whose duty it shall be to visit jails and confer with the prisoners who are without means to employ an attorney, so that they may not be made the subjects for unfledged attorneys to practice upon.

The subject of controlling railroads by State authority is fully discussed by the governor, his position being that the constitution makes railroads public highways, upon which any citizen or corporation has the right to place cars or engines for the purpose of transporting passengers, or freights under such regulations as shall be prescribed by law. He endeavors to show that the building of a railroad is entirely distinct from the work of operating it afterwards, and that the company which constructs and owns the line has not guaranteed to it, either by statutory or constitutional enactment, a monopoly of the carrying business thereon, but has equal rights, with other citizens, to run trains on the road, and no greater.

The management of the penitentiary is discussed at length, and the governor exhibits no little exultation over the fact that the policy recommended in his message two years ago, and adopted by the legislature, has resulted in making the institution self-sustaining.

The other State institutions, the labors of the board of public charities, the new State house, the reduction of the State debt, and other like subjects, are disposed of very briefly, and the message closes with a somewhat lengthy exposition of the governor's views with reference to the relative powers of the State and federal governments. The condition of affairs in Lousiana is made to serve as an admonition to the people of this State that they are in danger of losing their liberties, through the aggressive acts of the general government.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M,

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

Death of Louis Napoleon.

HOW THE NEWS WAS RECEIVED IN PARIS.

Speculations as to the Course of the Bonapartists.

NOMINATION OF GOV. OGLESBY FOR THE SENATE.

He Proposes to Resign as Soon as Elected Senator.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The news of the death of Louis Napolean, which was recieved before 9 o'clock this morning, did not come unexpected, from the tenor of dispatches received yesterday. It is seldom that a man at so advanced an age as Napoleon (he being now sixty-five years old) has recovered from such an illness. Many have wondered that the ex-Emperor allowed himself to undergo the series of operations which have thus resulted in his death.

Money is firm at from 7 to 1-32. Stocks are dull and steady. Gold is dull at 112¼@112⅜. Governments are dull and steydy, State bonds are very quiet.

There were twenty bids for gold, amounting to $4,445,000, at from 111,-51 to 112.30. The Government advertised to buy a million. There were bids to the amount of $1,200,000 at 112.30. The impression is that the Government will sell one million at 112.30.

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Senator Donahue of DeWitt, ... in a few well timed remarks, then m... ed that Hon. R. J. Oglesby of Macon county be declared the nominee of the caucus for the position of United States Senator.

The motion was carried by unanimous acclamation amid loud and repeated applause, not only from the spectators present, but the Senators and representatives.

On motion of Representative Ferrier, of Cook, a committee of three was appointed to wait upon Gov. Oglesby to inform him of the action of the caucus and invite him to address the meeting.

In a few minutes the gallant old Republican entered the hall in company with the committee, and was received by the most enthusiastic applause, which continued until he reached the Speaker's desk and was instruced to the meeting from which, for fifteen minutes, he made one of the most eloquent, happy and appropriate speeches that your correspondent ever listened to from the lips of this distinguished and eloquent statesman. He was frequently and most enthusiastically applauded. Though this was only a caucus yet the act was just as final as the election on the 21st inst., at which time the formal vote will be cast. In his remarks Gov. Oglesby said he considered this so, and said that on Monday next he would qualify as Governor, and act as such until the act of the caucus was ratified, after which he would resign the position into the hands of Lieut. Gov. Beveridge, who, he said, was a genleman in every respect well fitted to fill the high and responsible position of Governor of the State, and said he would cheerfully resign the position to so worthy and capable a successor.

Governor Oglesby was most heartily congratulated by his personal friends, as well as all the members, who flocked around to shake him by the hand and express their congratulation upon the action of the caucus. The speech of the Governor settles the speculations which have been indulged in regarding his continuance in the office of Governor, after his election as United States Senator; for as soon as that is done the Governor will resign, and Lieut. Gov. Beveridge will, by virtue of the Constitution, be Governor of Illinois.

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO, ILL., Jan. 9—1 p. m.

Owing to a falling off in the receipts and anticipated menger arrivals for the next few days the grain markets were stronger, but quiet, nevertheless, with the bulk of the trading for speculative purposes. Sales No. 2 spring wheat at $1,21@1,21⅞ cash; $1,22⅞@1,23½ seller February; $1,25@1.25⅞ seller March.

Flour was a ... stea...

Corn was steady ... th sales of No. 2 at 30⅝@ 0⅞ cash, 31⅛@31⅜c seller February, and 31⅞@32c seller March, and 36@36⅝c seller May, and 37c seller June.

Oats were quiet No 2 sold at 24¼@24⅜c cash or seller January; 25⅛c seller February; 25⅝c seller March; 26⅞ seller May.

Rye was quiet but firm, and No. 2 sold at 67c.

Barley was active, and No. 2 sold at 66½@67½, according to location.

Highwines sold at 88@88½c.

Dressed hogs were active, and 5c higher, with sales at $4,87½@4,85 per hundred.

Provisions were quiet and strong.

Mess pork sold at $11,75 seller February and $12 seller March.

Lard, 7.10 cash and 7.40 seller March.

Green hams from the block sold at 7⅞c for averages of 16 lbs. Dry salted shoulders brought 4c boxed.

Beef cattle quiet and steady, with sales at $3@6, for cows to good shipping steers.

Live hogs were active and a shade higher, with sales at $3,60@4 for common to extra, chiefly at $3,7⅞@3,85.

"Twenty Cents."—If you wish to aid in the furtherance of measures which will result in bringing the price of corn above that now ruling, attend the meeting at the court house on Saturday.

Reduction in Prices.—On and after January 1, 1873, we will reduce our price for shaving, from 15 cents to 10 cents.
YOUNG & NORMAN.

Dec. 26 tf.

New Advertisements.

KEELER
THE HATTER;
WILL REMOVE
HIS STOCK OF
HATS, CAPS,
—AND—
FURNISHING GOODS
—TO—
NO. 13
East Main Street!
(Room now occupied by Ludden & Co.,)
On January 20, 1873.

I HAVE A FEW SETS LADIES' FURS, in Mink, Fitch, A... sl... etc., which I will close out at VERY L... ...

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Perkins & House,
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—AND—
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Non-Explodable Lamps
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Lanterns,
Brackets,
Chandeliers.
—o—
AS USUAL,
A FULL STOCK OF
QUEENSWARE!
CHINA
AND FANCY GOODS,
—AT—
J. H. LEWIS & CO'S
Decatur, January 4, 1873—dtf.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
—o—
BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Robert H. Murphy and against Calvary A. Morris, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The north half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-six (36); also, the south half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-five (25); and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24)—all being in township eighteen (18), north, range three (3) east of the third P. M., in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of said Calvary A. Morris which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-house, in Macon county, in said state, on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1873, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 1 o'clock, p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.
This 13th day of December, A. D. 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD,
dec13-dtd) Ex-Sheriff Macon county.

Little Saloon Around the Corner
40 EAST MAIN ST.,
Hackett & Keeff,
PROPRIETORS.

Eatables of Every Kin... lw... on Hand.
Aug. 1-dtf.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.
—o—
STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }
Macon County Court, December Term, 1872.
Petition to sell Real Estate to pay Debts.
Reuben Betzer, Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth E. Dresbach, deceased, vs. Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Mattie E. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Susanna Roberts.
PUBLIC NOTICE IS hereby given that in pursuance of the decree entered in the above entitled cause on the 25th day of December, A. D. 1872, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth E. Dresbach, Dec'd, will sell on the premises, at public vendue, on
Saturday, the 1st day of February, A. D., 1873,
Between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, to the highest and best bidder therefor, the following described real estate, situate in the city of Decatur, county of Macon, and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. 15, and three feet off of the south side of lot No. 16, in block No. 7, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to the city of Decatur.
The terms of said sale will be, one-third of the purchase money cash in hand, the balance to be paid in one year from sale, the purchaser giving note at six per cent, interest, with approved personal security and a mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the same.
Decatur, January 1, A. D., 1873.
[jan1-1w] REUBEN BETZER, Adm'r,

B. I. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-daw tf

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Fresh Pies and Cakes,
Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts,
Oysters in Every Style,
Or by the can—in short, anything in the provision line, give me a call.
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Two doors north of Imboden's Meat Market.
B. F. STEPHENS.
January 6, 1873-dtf.

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S. D. LUDDEN & CO
Will commence to sell at Auction,
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AT 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.,
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January 4, 1873—d-tf.

W. E. WILSON
Is just receiving Large Quantities of
HOLIDAY GOODS!
Consisting in part of Splendid Books in the Toy, Juvenile, Light Literature and Standard Department. Handsome Bibles, and English and American Poets, in great variety of binding. Albums, Chromos and Gold Pens and Pencils, the largest and best stock in the city, at the "Corner Book Store."
Decatur, Nov. 15, 1872—d-tf.

Mme. Peschka Leutner
—TO—
Messrs. HALLET, DAVIS & Co.
Gent... Having had the opportunity ...
(Signed.) ... PESCHKA ...

H. SARO
AND THE
Hallet, Davis & Co. Pianos.
MESSRS. HALLET, DAVIS & CO.:
Gentlemen.—It gives me extreme pleasure that I am able to compliment you with manufacturing the best Pianos I ever saw in my life.
Regarding technique and tone, I believe your instruments will always far excel all other manufactures of the kind.
(Signed) H. SARO,
Royal Prussian Musical Director.

FRANZ ABT
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Boston, June 22, 1872.

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(Signed) FRANZ BENDEL.
These Pianos, both grand and square, can be seen in Decatur in large numbers, with a variety of other manufactures, at the Music Hall of
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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Friday Evening, Jan. 10.

DEATH OF NAPOLEON.

In our telegraphic columns will be found the announcement of the death of the ex-emperor of the French, which took place at Chiselhurst, England, yesterday. This event was not unexpected, as few men at his age, 65, could have withstood the painful surgical operation performed upon him a few days ago.

Charles Louis Napoleon Bonaparte, or Napoleon III, was the youngest son of Louis Bonaparte, king of Holland, and Hortense Eugenie Beauharnais, daughter of the empress Josephine. He was born in Paris, April 20, 1808, and as his father and mother soon afterwards separated he was educated by the latter, who continued to reside in Paris. After the final overthrow of the first Napoleon at Waterloo, Hortense and her son retired to Augsburg, and afterwards resided alternately at Rome and in Switzerland. He received a liberal education, and imbibed from his principal tutor, M. Lebas, that mixture of republicanism and imperialism which was never afterwards entirely separated in his mind.

The death of the duke of Reichstadt, son of the first Napoleon, in 1832, left young Louis the successor of his uncle, according to the Napoleonic edicts of 1804 and 1805. He then began his intrigues for the throne, which culminated in his issuing a proclamation at Strasbourg, in 1836, and endeavoring to inaugurate a revolution, which resulted in a miserable failure. For this he was banished, and coming to the United States he led an idle and dissolute life for a time, after which he went to South America, but returned to Europe shortly afterwards. The death of his mother occurring at this time he withdrew from Switzerland to England, where he occupied his time in organizing another revolutionary expedition against France. He sailed from Margate, in August, 1840, with about 50 followers, and landing at Bolougne demanded the surrender of the garrison, but was repulsed, and in endeavoring to make his escape was captured. His trial for treason took place before the house of peers, and though he was defended by the eloquent Berryer he was convicted and sentenced to perpetual imprisonment in a French fortress.—The six years following he spent within the walls of his prison, occupying his time in literary pursuits, and preparing for the press a number of works on political subjects. He finally managed to escape to England, in the dress of a laborer.

When the revolution of 1848 broke out, Louis Napoleon saw that his opportunity had come, and returning to Paris he was chosen a deputy in the national assembly. His admission to the assembly was violently opposed by Lamartine and other republicans, but by professing fidelity to the republic and taking the oath of allegiance thereto he was permitted to take his seat. On the 10th of December of that year, he was chosen president of the republic. His administration was nominally republican, but the light of subsequent events show that even during that time his efforts were steadily directed towards imperialism, for we read that in 1851 he arbitrarily dissolved the national assembly, arrested 180 of of its members, and issued a decree ordering the election of a president for ten years upon the basis of universal suffrage. He was again elected, and straightway began new intrigues looking towards the re-establishment of the empire. On the 21st and 22d of November, 1852, in pursuance of an executive decree, the people voted upon a *plebiscitum*, reviving the imperial dignity in the person of Louis Napoleon. The election resulted favorably, and he was forthwith declared emperor under the title of Napoleon III. A few months afterward, in January, 1853, he married Eugenie, Countess de Teba, a Spanish lady of rare beauty and accomplishments One son was born to them, March 16, 1856, who still survives.

The reign of Napoleon, as Emperor, was a despotic one, but his great aim was to revive the glory of France and found his dynasty upon an enduring basis. To do this he amused the people by pageants of splendor, while he crushed out all freedom of thought and expression. He made Paris the most magnificent capital in the world, hoping to gain the affection of his subjects through their well known love of display. But while he added to the beauty of the city by straightening the streets, he had an eye open to the fact that he was at the same time rendering next to impossible the erection of those bulwarks of defense, the barricades, which had made the periodical outbreaks of the Parisian mob so formidable to the constituted authorities. The splendor of his reign, and the crafty subtlety with which he essayed to fortify his dynasty, could not well have resulted otherwise than they did—in making his downfall, when it came, more terrible and complete than that of any potentate in modern times. The hollowness of the empire, and the utter imbecility of the government under trials whose advent Napoleon had himself hastened for the purpose of adding to his own glory, showed the impracticable character of his theories of government. His army melted away before the steady advance of the less showy but more thoroughly disciplined hosts of united Germany, and his high-sounding proclamations and despatches "from the front," only added to the deep disgrace of the *denouement*, which came even sooner that his most bitter enemy could have hoped for.

His capture after the rout of Sedan, his imprisonment at Wilhelmshohe, his release and subsequent appearance in England, are all too fresh in the minds of the reading public to need recapitulation now. What would have been the result of a prolongation of his life can, of course, only be conjectured, but it can hardly be doubted that he was contemplating a fresh *coup d'etat*, which, he hoped, would again place him upon the throne of France. His death, therefore, has in all probability removed one source of danger from that unhappy country, and though it seems harsh to speak thus of the dead, yet it would be difficult for the philanthropist to find in what particular this man of destiny has benefitted his race, or what promise of good he gave for the future. His name will occupy a prominent place in history, but it will be the prominence which comes from ambition selfishly directed, and not because of any disinterested act of his looking alone to the good of the public, for such an act he never performed.

GOV. PALMER'S MESSAGE.

The last message of Gov. Palmer to the legislature would fill more than a page of the REPUBLICAN, and we must therefore be content with a brief review of the document. Like all of Gov. Palmer's State papers it is a well-written document, and the questions discussed are treated in that exhaustive manner which is so characteristic of his excellency.

The governor congratulates the legislature upon the general prosperity of the State, and compliments the people for their observance of the laws, and their willingness to bear the burdens of taxation made necessary for the maintenance of the charitable and educational institutions of the State. He refers to the desire for a change in the criminal laws, but cannot see how any good could be obtained through the abolition of the grand jury system, or the other changes proposed. He advocates the appointment, in the large cities and populous counties, of a "defending attorney," whose duty it shall be to visit jails and confer with the prisoners who are without means to employ an attorney, so that they may not be made the subjects for unfledged attorneys to practice upon.

The subject of controlling railroads by State authority is fully discussed by the governor, his position being that the constitution makes railroads public highways, upon which any citizen or corporation has the right to place cars or engines for the purpose of transporting passengers, or freights under such regulations as shall be prescribed by law. He endeavors to show that the building of a railroad is entirely distinct from the work of operating it afterwards, and that the company which constructs and owns the line has not guaranteed to it, either by statutory or constitutional enactment, a monopoly of the carrying business thereon, but has equal rights, with other citizens, to run trains on the road, and no greater.

The management of the penitentiary is discussed at length, and the governor exhibits no little exultation over the fact that the policy recommended in his message two years ago, and adopted by the legislature, has resulted in making the institution self-sustaining.

The other State institutions, the labors of the board of public charities, the new State house, the reduction of the State debt, and other like subjects, are disposed of very briefly, and the message closes with a somewhat lengthy exposition of the governor's views with reference to the relative powers of the State and federal governments The condition of affairs in Lousiana is made to serve as an admonition to the people of this State that they are in danger of losing their liberties, through the aggressive acts of the gen ral government.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M,

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

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It is rumored that the friends of the Emparer in the Assembly will at once acknowledge the Prince Imperial, now sixteen years of age, as the rightful ruler. There are expressions of sympathy on all hands among the middle-class Parisians, and many of them will drape their houses in mourning if not prohibited by the government. The Bonapartists will make an issue by calling on Thiers for a proclamation announcing the Emperor's death, thus securing either official recognition, or the refusal of official recognition of the Emperor's existence. Thiers will refuse, of course, when the Bonapartists will issue a manifesto announcing the fact, and making proclamat on of their allegiance to the Pr nce I perial

SPRINGFIELD, Jan. 9.—The Republican caucus of both Houses of the General Assembly, hold this evening, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for United States Senator, was one of the most harmonious and enthusiastic ever held in this State. There was [illegible] attendance, and at [illegible] was ca[illegible] on. [illegible] Shaw, [illegible] led upon to preside [illegible] meeting

Senator Donahue of DeWitt, in a few well timed remarks, then moved that Hon. R. J. Oglesby of Macon county be declared the nominee of the caucus for the position of United States Senator.

The motion was carried by unanimous acclamation amid loud and repeated applause, not only from the spectators present, but the Senators and representatives.

On motion of Representative Ferrier, of Cook, a committee of three was appointed to wait upon Gov. Oglesby to inform him of the action of the caucus and invite him to address the meeting.

In a few minutes the gallant old Republican entered the hall in company with the committee, and was received by the most enthusiastic applause, which continued until he reached the Speaker's desk and was instruced to the meeting from which, for fifteen minutes, he made one of the most eloquent, happy and appropriate speeches that your correspondent ever listened to from the lips of this distinguished and eloquent statesman. He was frequently and most enthusiastically applauded. Though this was only a caucus yet the act was just as final as the election on the 21st inst., at which time the formal vote will be cast. In his remarks Gov. Oglesby said he considered this so, and said that on Monday next he would qualify as Governor, and act as such until the act of the caucus was ratified, after which he would resign the position into the hands of Lieut. Gov. Beveridge, who, he said, was a genleman in every respect well fitted to fill the high and responsible position of Governor of the State, and said he would cheerfully resign the position to so worthy and capable a successor.

Governor Oglesby was most heartily congratulated by his personal friends, as well as all the members, who flocked around to shake him by the hand and express their congratulation upon the action of the caucus. The speech of the Governor settles the speculations which have been indulged in regarding his continuance in the office of Governor, after his election as United States Senator; for as soon as that is done the Governor will resign, and Lieut. Gov. Beveridge will, by virtue of the Constitution, be Governor of Illinois.

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO, ILL., Jan. 9—1 p. m.

Owing to a falling off in the receipts and anticipated meager arrivals for the next few days the grain markets were stronger, but quiet, nevertheless, with the bulk of the trading for speculative purposes. Sales No. 2 spring wheat at $1,21@1,21⅞ cash; $1,22⅞@1,23½ seller February; $1,25@1,25⅞ seller March.

Flour was a sh[illegible] steady.

Corn was steady [illegible] sales at No. 2 at 30⅝@ 0¾ cash, 31⅛@31⅝c seller February, and 31⅛@ 32c seller March, and 36@36⅝c seller May, and 37c seller June.

Oats were quiet No 2 sold at 24⅛@24¾c cash or seller January; 25⅛c seller February; 25⅝c seller March; 26⅝ seller May.

Rye was quiet but firm, and No. 2 sold at 67c.

Barley was active, and No. 2 sold at 66½@67½, according to location.

Highwines sold at 88@88½c.

Dressed hogs were active, and 5c higher, with sales at $4,87½@4,85 per hundred

Provisions were quiet and strong.

Mess pork sold at $11,75 seller February and $12 seller March.

Lard, 7.10 cash and 7.40 seller March.

Green hams from the block sold at 7⅜c for averages of 16 lbs. Dry salted shoulders brought 4c boxed.

Beef cattle quiet and steady, with sales at $3@6, for cows to good shipping steers.

Live hogs were active and a shade higher, with sales at $3,60@4 for common to extra, chiefly at $3,7g@3,85.

"Twenty Cents."—If you wish to aid in the furtherance of measures which will result in bringing the price of corn above that now ruling, attend the meeting at the court house on Saturday.

Reduction in Prices.—On and after January 1, 1873, we will reduce our price for shaving, from 15 cents to 10 cents

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Dec. 26 tf.

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WILL REMOVE
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AND FANCY GOODS,
—AT—
J. H. LEWIS & CO'S
Decatur, January 4, 1873—dtf.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY VIRTUE OF ONE EXECUTION to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Robert H. Murphy and against Calvary A. Morris, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The north half of the southwest quarter of section thirty-six (36); also, the south half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-five (25); and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24)—all being in township eighteen (18), north, range three (3) east of the third P. M., in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of said Calvary A. Morris which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court-house, in Macon county, in said state, on the 4th day of January, A. D. 1873, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 1 o'clock, p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said Execution.

This 13th day of December, A. D. 1872.
GEORGE M. WOOD,
dec13-dtd) Ex-Sheriff Macon county.

Little Saloon Around the Corner
40 EAST MAIN ST.,
Hackett & Keeff,
PROPRIETORS.

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Aug. 1-dtf.

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY. }

Macon County Court, December Term, 1872.

Petition to sell Real Estate to pay Debts.

Reuben Betzer, Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth E. Dresbach, deceased, vs. Daniel Dresbach, Hannah Dresbach, Mattie E. Dresbach, Mary M. Dresbach, Andrew J. Dresbach, Susanna Roberts.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS hereby given that in pursuance of the decree entered in the above entitled cause on the 25th day of December, A. D. 1872, the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth E. Dresbach, Dec'd, will sell on the premises, at public vendue, on

Saturday, the 1st day of February, A. D., 1873,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock, a. m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, to the highest and best bidder therefor, the following described real estate, situate in the city of Decatur, county of Macon, and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. 15, and three feet off of the south side of lot No. 16, in block No. 7, in Prather, Martin & Gatling's addition to the city of Decatur.

The terms of said sale will be, one-third of the purchase money cash in hand, the balance to be paid in one year from sale, the purchaser giving note at six per cent, interest, with approved personal security and a mortgage on the premises sold, to secure the payment of the same.

Decatur, January 1, A. D., 1873.
[jan1-1w] REUBEN BETZER, Adm'r.

B. I. Sterrett,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec20-daw1f

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January 6, 1873-dtf.

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Decatur, Nov. 15, 1872—d-tf.

Mme. Peschka Leutner
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(Signed.) [illegible]

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(Signed) H. SARO,
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(Signed) FRANZ ABT.
Boston, June 22, 1872.

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RE-OPE[illegible] OF PROF. GO[illegible] Dancing [illegible] ON NEXT SA[illegible] AFTERNOON and EV[illegible] Terms of Tuition [illegible] Music furnished [illegible] Sept. 18 '72-d3m.

Chancery [illegible] STATE [illegible] MAC[illegible] In the Circuit Court, M[illegible] William T. Hewett [illegible] A. McCASKILL, Sol. [illegible] Decatur, January 2, [illegible]

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Friday Evening, Jan. 10.

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Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* for the first insertion, and five cents for each subsequent insertion. Rates on advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

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Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce E. MCNABB as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election. *

WE are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAWORTH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the March election. *

WE are authorized to announce DR. W. H. MITCHELL as a candidate for City Treasurer, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. A. ADDERLEY as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Moonlight nights.

...Slowly the days grow longer.

...Don't buy a turkey with scaley feet.

...How about that Benevolent Society?

...Plenty of eggs at the grocery stores.

...Westward the star of epizo wends its way.

...Clear the ice off your slippery pavements.

...How about that coal shaft at this point?

...Evil-doers are in doors and the criminal calendar amounts to 0.

...Sun dogs are visible almost every morning.

...Some of our citizens are still complaining of an attack of the epizootic.

...The thermometer stood at 8 degrees below zero at 7 o'clock this morning.

...C. H. Fuller, Esq., has returned from an extended tour through Kansas.

...The youngest child of Mrs. Dilner, which was scalded Wednesday is not expected to live.

...During 1872, 7,037 car loads of grain passed over the Toledo, Peoria & Western Road.

...Telegraph markets show that the price of pork has advanced considerably within the last few days in all the principle commercial centers.

...The leap year style of popping the question now is, "Don't you want me to wash the dishes for you?"

...It is really astonishing to witness the frantic efforts of some of our citizens in attempting to maintain an equilibrium.

... towel answers for twelve cus... in Indianapolis barber shop, and ... sharpens his razor on the stove pipe

...Owing to the scarcity of coal one of the mills, as a last resort, used corn in the furnace, but found that it cost considerably more than coal or wood.

.. We notice in the Merchants' Exchange, of Mobile, that Western corn is quoted at \$1,00@1,05; meal 95@1,00; oats 62½@65c; hay \$15 per ton.

...Sheriff Jennings will take those prisoners to Joliet next Monday who were sentenced to one year in the penitentiary at the late session of the circuit court.

...Fred. Bardwell, Clerk at the St. Nicholas, left for Indiana this morning, where he is expecting to remain a few days with his friends.

...A man in Clinton who enjoys the most sympathy is he who chased a runaway team for half a mile and finally succeeded in heading it off only to find the driver in the carriage, looking very much astonished at the hallooing and panting roscuer(?)

...One of the best hotels in Wichita, Kansas, employs a lady "runner" to the depot. Since her employment it has been found necessary to make fourteen additions to the house and run it up five stories in height. The other hotels in the town are closing up.

...Beethoven's autographs have been reduced to ten cents each by a Titusville man, who furnishes 'em fresh at that price. He is practising, and will soon be able to furnish original letters written by the Father of this distracted country for a mere trifle.

...The remarks which relatives and friends who attend a funeral make upon the merits of the deceased, are frequently instructive. At the funeral of an aged resident of Clinton, Saturday, a neighbor feelingly observed that the departed "wouldn't rare and cuss about taxes any more."

...A gas well, intermittent in its flow has been discovered in Bloomington, in digging for a well with which to supply the new block of buildings just erected by Judge Davis. The composition of the gas is similar to the gas generated from gasoline, and will be used—should the supply prove sufficient—in heating the boilers and lighting the building.

...The following is a good item to read at the breakfast table: A recent San Francisco paper contains this marketing item: ... string beans and peas are a trifle dearer; ... has advanced; new potatoes are ... ; green corn

THE 5TH WARD QUESTION

MESSRS. EDITORS:—As a proposition is before the Council to divide the 1st Ward, making the Illinois Central Railroad the dividing line, and all that portion of the ward lying east of the road to constitute the 5th ward, I wish to enquire whether such a division would be satisfactory to the inhabitants of the contemplated 5th ward; whether, after contributing by taxation to build sidewalks, school houses, and otherwise improve the west side of the road, they would be willing now, with the small amount to be raised from the two mill tax levy in the proposed 5th ward, to build their own sidewalks, and make all other necessary improvements without any aid or assistance from the west side. If a division of the ward is insisted upon, would it not be preferable to make the Western road the dividing line, so as to throw a portion of the improvements and wealth from which taxes are derived into each ward, so as to give each a fair proportion of the taxes for sidewalks and other improvements. Let the inhabitants of the east side of the Central railroad call a meeting and instruct the Council as to their wishes in the premises. If no division can be agreed upon that will be satisfactory to all parties concerned, better let it remain as it is. Let justice be done. The Council is disposed to accede to any reasonable request of the people if their wishes can be fully known. It is the opinion of many that no real necessity exists for the creation of a 5th ward, as it will thereby increase the burden of taxation,—that the population of our city is insufficient to warrant the creation of an additional ward.

Let the people in the 1st ward speak out.
JUSTICE.

Public Meeting!—At a meeting of the Macon County Agricultural Board held the office of the Secretary, on Saturday, the 4th inst., it was recommended that a public meeting of the citizens of Macon county be held at the court house on SATURDAY, JANURY 11TH, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to take into consideration the best method of co-operating with the Farmers' Convention, to be held at Bloomington, on the 15th and 16th inst. All citizens who feel an interest in the movement are earnestly invited to be present.

JAMES C. LAKE, Sec'y *pro tem.*,
Macon County Ag'l Board

Coal.—A telegram was received by Mr. McClelland, agent of the Western Coal and Mining Company in this city, from Springfield last evening, stating that the strikers at the mines had concluded that this business of striking didn't pay, and about fifty of them had gone to work. A supply of coal from Springfield is expected to-day.

Martin Forstmyer is announced to-day as a candidate for Mayor. We took occasion last week to speak of Mr. Forstmyer's qualifications for the place, and need not say more now, except that he will in all probability make a lively run for the place.

Oranges and Lemons.—A lot of choice oranges and lemons; also layer figs and London layer raisins, which are nice. For sale at MILLER'S CONFECTIONERY.
Jan 10-2d

Mrs. E. J. Ferry continues to sell ladies' shoes at her store on Water street. She occupies a portion of Milt. Lapham's room. Call and examine her stock.

It should be known to every man, woman and child in Decatur and vicinity that J. Imboden & Co, are selling the best meats in the market at the lowest rates—roasts, steaks, smoked ham, etc.

...A Des Moines, Iowa, paper can write up a trifling incident of Western life in as good style as a New York *Tribune* man. Hear him: "In Buffalo, Scott Co., at a New Year party where they had been 'tak'n' suthin',' a man asserted that he could whip anybody in the room. When he found himself lying on his back and saw his antagonist complacently chewing the end off the nose he had colored with so much care and expense, he began to suspect he had slightly overrated his powers."

...An Ohio editor was rendered insane, while going home the other night, to hear the following words come from a dark porch, on a shady street: Oh! John, I wonder if that mustache feels as good on your lips as it did on mine?" John's answer he did not wait to hear. Moral—Don't make love when ye reporter is around.

...A precocious horse, who had learned to love liquor during the epizootic treatment, put his head into a sleigh near which he was hitched, the other day, took the cork out of a whisky bottle, upset the bottle, and then lapped up the liquor from the bottom of the sleigh.

"What is the use of trying to be honest?" asked a young man of a friend the other day. "Oh! you ought to try it once and see," was the reply.—And the young man wanted to put a head on his plain-spoken friend.

...George Francis is going to write a book on his imprisonment. He says it shall be written with blood and bound with the hide of a Congressman. That will be a real whisky skin binding.

...A man in Virginia City has no music in his soul, except when asleep. Then he sings "Rock Me to Sleep, Mother," snores an interlude, and starts off again on "Old Dog Tray," or some other classic melody.

...A young man in the employ of Morehouse & Wells had one of his hands severely mangled yesterday afternoon, by the falling of a heavy cellar door thereon. Fortunately no bones were broken.

.. Circuit Court adjourned yesterday. Several important cases have been decided. This county sends four prisoners to Joliet, each for one year; one to the State Reform ... two years ... three months.

"The Falling Snow."—How beautiful is the falling snow! How perfect are the small white flakes, if we examine them closely! The falling snow teaches a beautiful lesson. It teaches how perfect God makes everything, even the tiny flakes of snow. How few there are that think of this beautiful lesson taught to us by the falling snow; there should be more think of it than what do. How pure the flakes look when they come down and fall on the ground, flake on flake, until a great pile has accumulated; what a pity it is that this pile of pure white snow is rudely trampled down under foot, as though it were not the pure snow; and then it gets warmer, and the heat melts the once beautiful pile away, and it mingles with the mud and dirt, and you would not think, if you did not know, that this was that beautiful pile of snow that only a few days ago looked as white as when it fell. And so do we come and stay a few short years and then go away. We come first as the innocent babe, as pure as the falling snow; then we lose our innocence, and in a few short years we drift along with darker and viler beings, until we ourselves are as dark and vile as those around us. None of us are as pure when we leave this world as we are when we enter it. Why is it? Why can we not all lead a pure life? It is, indeed, strange why we can't, yet it seems impossible. There are some beings whose souls are darker and viler than they need be. Is it all from vile associations? Why, then, do you associate with such companions? And if you do, why need *you* do as they do? Do you think it raises you in anyone's estimation? Do you think it does you any good? If you do you think wrong. It does not raise you in anyone's estimation, but if anything lowers you. Are you going to keep on in this dark stream until you are darker than your companions are? Think of your babyhood, when you were as pure as the falling snow, and see if you do not think it a shame to mar the pure heart with wicked thoughts and deeds. REGAN.

For Sale.—Two houses and one lot, just west of the oil mill. Apply at 77 East Main street. [nov10-6m.

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Music furnished for Balls and Parties a short notice and most reasonable terms.
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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, March term, A. D. 1873.
William T. Hewett vs. Elizabeth J. Hayward, Lucy May Hayward, Henry Hayward, John Edward Hayward, Emeline Hayward, Mary Ellen Hayward, Robert Hayward, Young B. Clark, William Hayward, and Oliver Hayward.

In Chancery.

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The Daily Republican.

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Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

IMPORTANT.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce MARTIN FORSTMYER as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce E. MCNABB as a candidate for Mayor, at the ensuing municipal election. *

WE are authorized to announce JOHN W. HAWORTH as a candidate for re-election to the office of City Marshal, at the March election. *

WE are authorized to announce DR. W. H. MITCHELL as a candidate for City Treasurer, at the ensuing municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED. A. ADDERLEY as a candidate for City Marshal at the ensuing municipal election.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Moonlight nights.

...Slowly the days grow longer.

...Don't buy a turkey with scaley feet.

...How about that Benevolent Society?

...Plenty of eggs at the grocery stores.

...Westward the star of epizo wends its way.

...Clear the ice off your slippery pavements.

...How about that coal shaft at this point?

...Evil-doers are in doors and the criminal calendar amounts to 0.

...Sun dogs are visible almost every morning.

...Some of our citizens are still complaining of an attack of the epizootic.

...The thermometer stood at 8 degrees below zero at 7 o'clock this morning.

...C. H. Fuller, Esq., has returned from an extended tour through Kansas.

...The youngest child of Mrs. Dilner, which was scalded Wednesday is not expected to live.

...During 1872, 7,037 car loads of grain passed over the Toledo, Peoria & Western Road.

...Telegraph markets show that the price of pork has advanced considerably within the last few days in all the principle commercial centers.

...The leap year style of popping the question now is, "Don't you want me to wash the dishes for you?"

...It is really astonishing to witness the frantic efforts of some of our citizens in attempting to maintain an equilibrium.

...towel answers for twelve customers in Indianapolis barber shop, and the barber sharpens his razor on the stove pipe.

...Owing to the scarcity of coal one of the mills, as a last resort, used corn in the furnace, but found that it cost considerably more than coal or wood.

.. We notice in the Merchants' Exchange, of Mobile, that Western corn is quoted at $1,00@1,05; meal 95@1,00; oats 62½@65c; hay $15 per ton.

...Sheriff Jennings will take those prisoners to Joliet next Monday who were sentenced to one year in the penitentiary at the late session of the circuit court.

...Fred. Baidwell, Clerk at the St. Nicholas, left for Indiana this morning, where he is expecting to remain a few days with his friends.

...A man in Clinton who enjoys the most sympathy is he who chased a runaway team for half a mile and finally succeeded in heading it off only to find the driver in the carriage, looking very much astonished at the hallooing and panting rescuer(?)

...One of the best hotels in Wichita, Kansas, employs a lady "runner" to the depot. Since her employment it has been found necessary to make fourteen additions to the house and run it up five stories in height. The other hotels in the town are closing up.

...Beethoven's autographs have been reduced to ten cents each by a Titusville man, who furnishes 'em fresh at that price. He is practising, and will soon be able to furnish original letters written by the Father of this distracted country for a mere trifle.

...The remarks which relatives and friends who attend a funeral make upon the merits of the deceased, are frequently instructive. At the funeral of an aged resident of Clinton, Saturday, a neighbor feelingly observed that the departed "wouldn't rare and cuss about taxes any more."

...A gas well, intermittent in its flow has been discovered in Bloomington, in digging for a well with which to supply the new block of buildings just erected by Judge Davis. The composition of the gas is similar to the gas generated from gasoline, and will be used—should the supply prove sufficient—in heating the boilers and lighting the building.

...The following is a good item to read at the breakfast table: A recent San Francisco paper contains this marketing item: string beans and peas are a trifle dearer; ... has advanced; new potatoes are ... ; green corn

THE 5TH WARD QUESTION

MESSRS. EDITORS:—As a proposition is before the Council to divide the 1st Ward, making the Illinois Central Railroad the dividing line, and all that portion of the ward lying east of the road to constitute the 5th ward, I wish to enquire whether such a division would be satisfactory to the inhabitants of the contemplated 5th ward; whether, after contributing by taxation to build sidewalks, school houses, and otherwise improve the west side of the road, they would be willing now, with the small amount to be raised from the two mill tax levy in the proposed 5th ward, to build their own sidewalks, and make all other necessary improvements without any aid or assistance from the west side. If a division of the ward is insisted upon, would it not be preferable to make the Western road the dividing line, so as to throw a portion of the improvements and wealth from which taxes are derived into each ward, so as to give each a fair proportion of the taxes for sidewalks and other improvements. Let the inhabitants of the east side of the Central railroad call a meeting and instruct the Council as to their wishes in the premises. If no division can be agreed upon that will be satisfactory to all parties concerned, better let it remain as it is. Let justice be done. The Council is disposed to accede to any reasonable request of the people if their wishes can be fully known. It is the opinion of many that no real necessity exists for the creation of a 5th ward, as it will thereby increase the burden of taxation,—that the population of our city is insufficient to warrant the creation of an additional ward.

Let the people in the 1st ward speak out.

JUSTICE.

Public Meeting!—At a meeting of the Macon County Agricultural Board held the office of the Secretary, on Saturday, the 4th inst., it was recommended that a public meeting of the citizens of Macon county be held at the court house on SATURDAY, JANUARY 11TH, 1873, at 2 o'clock, P. M., to take into consideration the best method of co-operating with the Farmers' Convention, to be held at Bloomington, on the 15th and 16th inst. All citizens who feel an interest in the movement are earnestly invited to be present.

JAMES C. LAKE, Sec'y *pro tem.*,
Macon County Ag'l Board

Coal.—A telegram was received by Mr. McClelland, agent of the Western Coal and Mining Company in this city, from Springfield last evening, stating that the strikers at the mines had concluded that this business of striking didn't pay, and about fifty of them had gone to work. A supply of coal from Springfield is expected to-day.

Martin Forstmyer is announced to-day as a candidate for Mayor. We took occasion last week to speak of Mr. Forstmyer's qualifications for the place, and need not say more now, except that he will in all probability make a lively run for the place.

Oranges and Lemons.—A lot of choice oranges and lemons; also layer figs and London layer raisins, which are nice. For sale at MILLER'S CONFECTIONERY.

Jan 10-2d

Mrs. E. J. Ferry continues to sell ladies' shoes at her store on Water street. She occupies a portion of Milt. Lapham's room. Call and examine her stock.

It should be known to every man, woman and child in Decatur and vicinity that J. Imboden & Co, are selling the best meats in the market at the lowest rates—roasts, steaks, smoked ham, etc.

...A Des Moines, Iowa, paper can write up a trifling incident of Western life in as good style as a New York *Tribune* man. Hear him: "In Buffalo, Scott Co., at a New Year party where they had been 'tak'n' suthin',' a man asserted that he could whip anybody in the room. When he found himself lying on his back and saw his antagonist complacently chewing the end off the nose he had colored with so much care and expense, he began to suspect he had slightly overrated his powers."

...An Ohio editor was rendered insane, while going home the other night, to hear the following words come from a dark porch, on a shady street: Oh! John, I wonder if that mustache feels as good on your lips as it did on mine?" John's answer he did not wait to hear. Moral—Don't make love when ye reporter is around.

...A precocious horse, who had learned to love liquor during the epizootic treatment, put his head into a sleigh near which he was hitched, the other day, took the cork out of a whisky bottle, upset the bottle, and then lapped up the liquor from the bottom of the sleigh.

"What is the use of trying to be honest?" asked a young man of a friend the other day. "Oh! you ought to try it once and see," was the reply.—And the young man wanted to put a head on his plain-spoken friend.

...George Francis is going to write a book on his imprisonment. He says it shall be written with blood and bound with the hide of a Congressman. That will be a real whisky skin binding.

...A man in Virginia City has no music in his soul, except when asleep. Then he sings "Rock Me to Sleep, Mother," snores an interlude, and starts off again on "Old Dog Tray," or some other classic melody.

...A young man in the employ of Morehouse & Wells had one of his hands severely mangled yesterday afternoon, by the falling of a heavy cellar door thereon. Fortunately no bones were broken.

.. Circuit Court adjourned yesterday. Several important cases have been decided. This county sends four prisoners to Joliet, each for one year; one to the State Reform ... two years ... three months.

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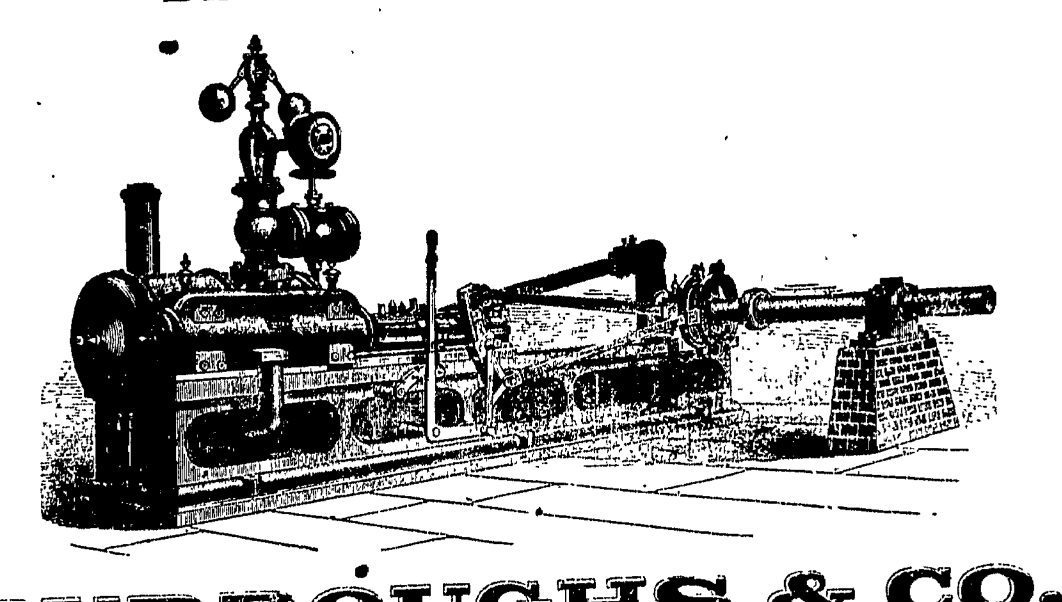

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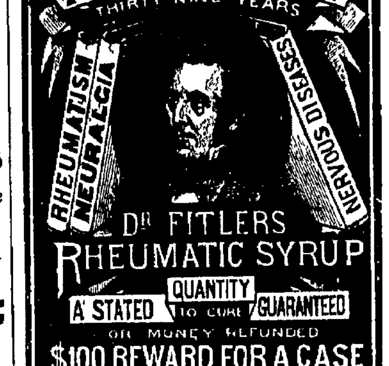

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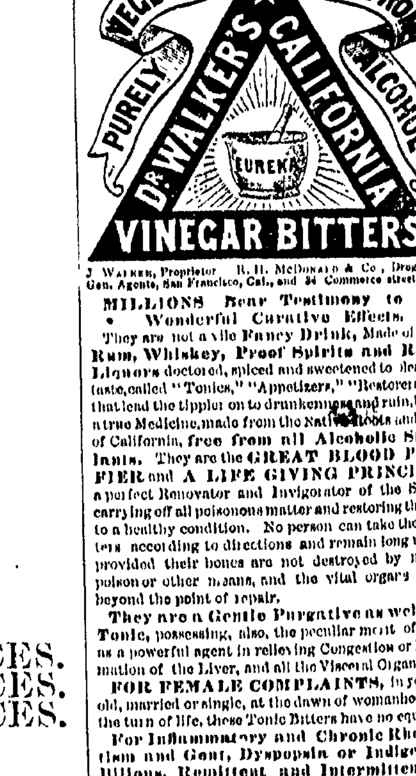

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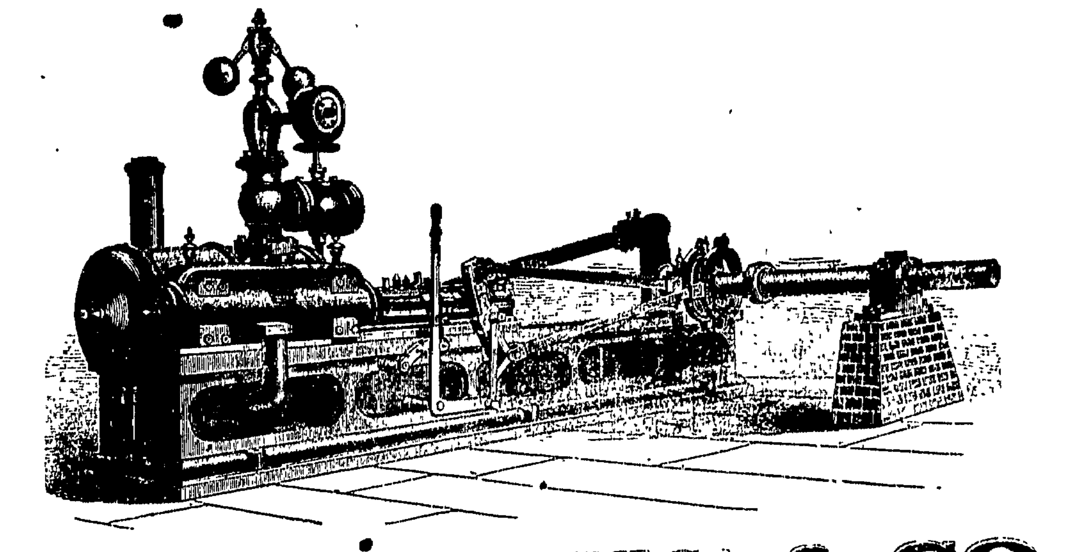

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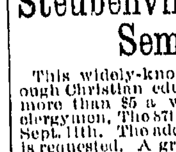

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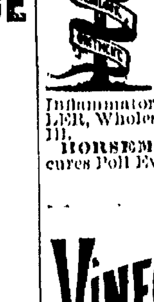

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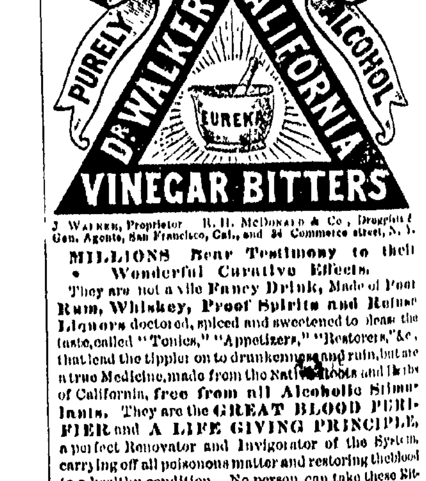

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